



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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**JAN 29 2018**

Susan Beck

Chesterland, OH 44026

RE: MUR 7210

Dear Ms. Beck:

The Federal Election Commission reviewed the allegations in your complaint received on January 13, 2017. On January 9, 2018, the Commission considered the complaint but was equally divided on whether to approve the Office of General Counsel's recommendation to find no reason to believe that Chesterland News violated the Act and Commission regulations, and to dismiss the allegations that Frank Durkalski violated the Act and Commission regulations. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003) and Statement of Policy Regarding Placing First General Counsel's Reports on the Public Record, 74 Fed. Reg. 66132 (Dec. 14, 2009).

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. See 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(8).

Sincerely,

Lisa J. Stevenson  
Acting General Counsel

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff S. Joydan", is written over the typed name of the Assistant General Counsel.

BY: Jeff S. Joydan  
Assistant General Counsel